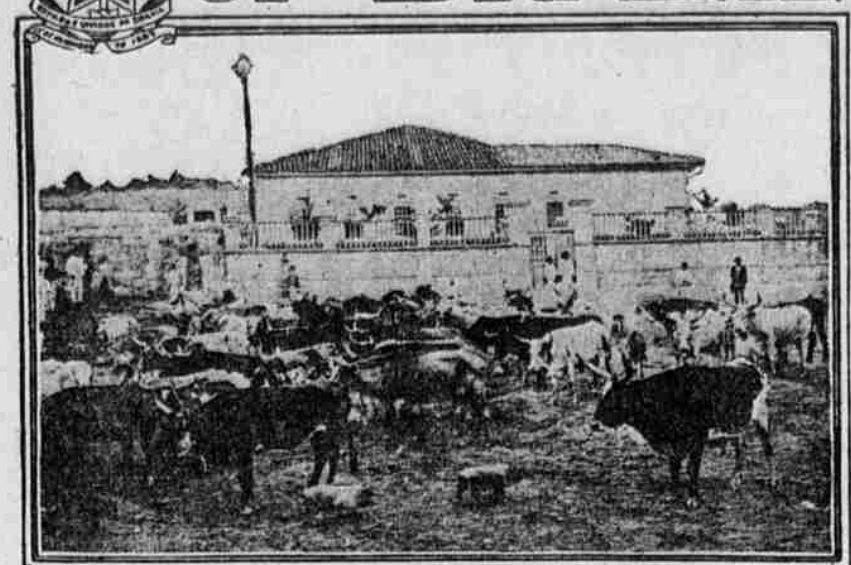


EMPIRE STATE OF BRAZIL



CORRAL OF BRAZILIAN CATTLE, STATE OF SAO PAULO

Washington.—Fully four and a half out of every five pounds of coffee drunk in the United States comes from Brazil, and the proportion is growing steadily higher, principally because the Brazilian bean is of a superior quality and flavor. The general idea of coffee drinkers have a hazy idea that "Mocha" and "Java" enter largely into the morning beverage, but it is a fact that all the Mocha and Java that reach this country in a year would not supply St. Louis for six months.

It is generally known and understood that the greater proportion of fine Brazilian coffee comes from the state of Sao Paulo in that country, and the statement that Sao Paulo, the richest state in the Brazilian Union, is "one vast coffee estate" has been made so frequently that the general impression has gone abroad that little else but coffee is produced in the state. It is true that Sao Paulo alone, last year, produced 1,716,000,000 pounds of coffee that had a value of \$140,000,000, and that this vast aggregate found its way outward through the greatest coffee port in the world, Santos; but it is also true that Sao Paulo has a host of other industries that are developing at a rate that is astonishing. It is in Sao Paulo that the great wheat growing concessions have been granted; it is from Sao Paulo that the enormous shipments to Europe of live cattle will be made; it is Sao Paulo that now maintains three hundred factories engaged

in a truly remarkable array of industries. These factories alone represent an investment of over \$40,000,000 and are employing 50,000 workmen.

It is true that coffee is the staple, but these factories are turning out cotton and woolen fabrics; they are making rope, twines and papers. There are breweries, marble quarries, metal industries of various natures; vast estates that are devoted to the culture of rice, and square miles of territory that produce enormous quantities of fruits that are shipped in all directions. Sao Paulo has gone extensively into grape culture, and is turning out wines that are becoming vastly popular in several countries. Agriculture of a general nature has engaged the attention of the residents of the state to a greater degree in the last few years, and as a consequence the railroads are extending in every direction throughout the state. As an indication of the volume of business transacted through the port of Santos it last year reached a grand total of five and a half million tons, which compares very favorably with the trade of Rio de Janeiro or Buenos Ayres, the two largest South American ports.

In great measure this progress is due to the far-sighted and patriotic efforts of those statesmen who have directed the destinies of the state, and it has been recently stated by a South American historian that the history of the State of Sao Paulo was the history of all Brazil.

HONOR RESTED WITH AUTHOR

How the Late Popular Writer, O. Henry, Outwitted Unscrupulous Editor.

A friend of the late O. Henry writes of him: "He was reckless in spending money, and frequently gave elevator boys and bellboys \$5 and \$10 notes. But he wasn't 'easy,' despite his financial carelessness. His friends narrated an incident showing the man's shrewdness. A magazine noted for 'slow pay,' they say, contracted with him for a three-part story, for which he was to receive fifteen hundred dollars. He got a five hundred dollar advance before starting to work, and when he turned in the second installment (none of it had been printed yet) got five hundred dollars more, and asked for the third five hundred dollars as an advance before finishing the tale. The editor, in an effort to save money, apparently, declared that, after all, the story didn't appear to be worth more than one thousand dollars—this when he had the two installments in his office. 'All right,' said O. Henry. 'I won't write the third one then.' And he didn't. He laughed at the editor. 'Well then,' said the latter, 'I'll run the two parts and then let our readers have a guessing contest as to how the story ends—and put up, perhaps, a five hundred prize to the winner.' For a moment the author thought he was outwitted. Then he said: 'Go ahead—and I'll win the prize.' He intended to win it, too."

An Office Business Only.

A young man called at the office of a justice of the peace and with some hesitation made known his business, which was to be married. The justice replied that he thought he could perform the service, and asked if the young man had his license.

"Yes, sir," the youth replied. "Well, where is the young lady?" "She—she's at her father's."

"Well, bring her here."

"She'd rather be married at home, sire."

"And you expect me to go there and marry you?"

"Yes, sir, if you please."

"Young man," said the justice, "this office of mine is like a department store. We sell matches here, but we don't deliver them at the house."

YOUTH'S COMPANION.

Slightly Confused.

Marie was making her first visit to the beach. She was fearless of the water, and spent as much of her time in bathing as she was allowed. One morning there was an unusually strong undertow, and many of the bathers spoke of it. Marie, hearing them, stowed away the new phrase in her mind.

When she came in from her bath, she told how fine the water was, and told of the fun she had had. Then, assuming her grown-up manner, she remarked: "Oh, but the undertaker was strong this morning!"

IRISH PROVERBS STILL USED

Old Time Sayings, Given New Dress, Which Have Come Down From Wise Men of Ireland.

The ancient kings, brehons and fiefs of the Milesian Irish were men of great intelligence and wisdom, and the sayings of "Allamh foehla," Fethill the Wise, Moran and Cormac MacArt were so many terse lessons of human wisdom; but it may be information to the majority of the Irish public of the present day, says the Catholic Standard, to state that many of our proverbs in present use are merely paraphrases of the old Milesian sayings.

Annexed we give a list of genuine Irish proverbs, principally translated, and literally, from Hardman's "Irish Minstrelsy," which show the similarity between them and the modern English proverbs:

A blind man is no judge of colors.

When the cat is out the mice will dance.

Even a fool has luck.

Fierceness is often hidden under beauty.

There is often anger in a laugh.

A good dress often hides a deceiver.

Fame is more lasting than life.

A foolish word is folly.

Mild to the meek.

Cat after kind.

Hope consoles the persecuted.

The satisfied forget the hungry.

Long sleep renders a child inert.

Hurry without waste.

Drunkenness is the brother of robbery.

Hope is the physician of each misery.

It is difficult to tame the proud.

Idleness is the desire of a fool.

Look before you leap.

The end of a feast is better than the beginning of a quarrel.

A wren in the hand is better than a crane out of it.

He who is out, his supper cools.

The memory of an old child is long.

Everything is revealed by time.

A cat can look at a king.

Learning is the desire of the wise.

Character is better than wealth.

Without treasure, without friends.

A hungry man is angry.

No man is wise at all times.

Every dear article is woman's desire.

Wisdom exceeds strength.

Wine is sweet; to pay for it bitter.

Sleep is the image of death.

Enough is a feast.

Death is the physician of the poor.

Not every flatterer is a friend.

Europe Awards Abstainers.

Total abstinence continues to make astonishing headway in Europe. In a resume of articles on the alcohol question that have appeared recently in German, Dr. Erich Flade of Dresden mentions (Hygienische Rundschau) the growing recognition among those interested in athletics of the unsuitability of alcoholic drinks in training for special efficiency.

The nature of alcohol itself he regards as sufficient to show what a hindrance it is in training for physical efficiency and endurance, and a comparison of abstaining and nonabstaining athletes furnish incontestable proof. For example, in the 62-mile walking match in 1908, although the abstainers constituted only 29 per cent. of the contestants, they won 60 per cent. of the prizes and first places, and only two men out of the 32 who failed to make the goal were abstainers.

A man cannot vote for a party and receive credit for its good deeds without being responsible for its bad ones.

Buried in Her Piano.

A woman professor of music, who recently died at Marseilles, France, has been buried in her piano in obedience to her final wish. She gave as her reason for this strange request that the happiest hours of her life had been spent at her piano. Owing to the great size of this original coffin an immense grave had to be dug.

If libraries were to be cleared of rubbish, as Charles Francis Adams suggests, what could be done with the shelf room?

THE MARKETS.

Financial.

New York, June 21.—Money on call 2 1/2 @ 3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4 1/2 @ 5 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange \$4.85 1/2 for demand.

Government bonds steady.

Grain, Provisions and Live Stock.

Cleveland, June 21.—Flour—Minnesota spring patents \$5.25 @ 5.55.

Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.07.

Corn—No. 3 yellow 64 1/2 c.

Oats—No. 2 white 42 1/2 c.

Butter—Best creamery 29 @ 29 1/2 c.

Cheese—York state, new, 17 @ 17 1/2 c.

Eggs—Strictly fresh 19 1/2 c.

Potatoes—Ohio 27 @ 30 c.

Hay—No. 1 timothy \$18.00.

Cattle—Best steers \$7.00 @ 7.25, calves \$3.50 @ 4.00.

Sheep—Choice wethers \$5.00 @ 5.25, choice lambs \$7.00 @ 7.75.

Hogs—Heavy Yorkers \$9.75, pigs \$9.55.

Toledo, June 21.—Wheat—Cash \$1.05 1/2.

Corn—Cash 61 1/2 c.

Oats—Cash 47 1/2 c.

Cloverseed—Cash \$6.90.

Buffalo, June 21.—Cattle—Export cattle \$8.00 @ 8.50, shipping steers \$7.00 @ 7.75.

Hogs—Yorkers \$9.90, pigs \$10.10.

Sheep—Wethers \$5.00 @ 5.25, spring lambs \$6.00 @ 6.25.

Pittsburgh, June 21.—Cattle—Choice steers \$8.00 @ 8.30, good \$7.50 @ 7.75.

Hogs—Heavy Yorkers \$9.95, pigs \$10.10 @ 10.15.

Sheep—Prime wethers \$4.60 @ 4.75, lambs \$3.50 @ 4.00.

Chicago, June 21.—Wheat—July 95 1/2 c.

Corn—July 28 1/2 c.

Oats—July 23 1/2 c.

Pork—July 23 1/2 c.

Lard—July 12 1/2 c.

Cattle—Beefers \$5.70 @ 5.75, stockers and feeders \$4.00 @ 4.50.

Hogs—Heavy \$9.30 @ 9.65, pigs \$9.15 @ 9.65.

Sheep—Native \$5.25 @ 5.50, lambs, native \$5.00 @ 5.25.

BEYOND POWER OF MAN.



Gayboye—Men are no good, eh? Wasn't it man that made us smokeless powder, horseless carriages and wireless telegraphy, eh?

Mrs. Gayboye—Yes, and I'd think more of man if he'd make you smoke less tobacco, drink less wine and spend less money!

IN A SERIOUS CONDITION.

A Case of Terrible Kidney Trouble.

Henry Palmer, Cole and Walnut Sts., Barnesville, O., says: "My kidney trouble was caused by hardships and exposure in the army. The awful pains across my back gradually became more severe until I was in constant misery. My feet and hands were swollen to twice their natural size. The kidney secretions were in a terrible condition—for months I voided what seemed to be clear blood. I became so dizzy everything seemed to whirl. My condition was alarming when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. Before long I improved and was soon strong and well."



Remember the name—Doan's. For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Barberous Humor.

Barber—How would you like your hair cut, sir?

Stude—Fine. Do you think I came in here to discuss the tariff?

Not Transferable.

Miss A. had on a skirt of delicate fawn color, which the others coveted.

"Do bequeath that skirt to me, Miss A.," said one friend; "it matches a waist of mine exactly."

"I don't see what you want of this old skirt," Miss A. replied. "It's on its last legs now."—Success Magazine.

Conditional Piety.

Two Scotch fishermen, James and Sandy, belated and befogged on a rough water, were in some trepidation lest they should never get ashore again. At last Jamie said:

"Sandy, I'm steering, and I think you'd better put up a bit of prayer."

"I don't know how," said Sandy.

"If ye don't I'll chuck ye overboard," said Jamie.

Sandy began: "Oh, Lord, I never asked anything of ye for fifteen years, and if ye'll only get us safe back, I'll never trouble ye again, and—"

"Whist, Sandy," said Jamie. "The boat's touched shore; don't be beholden to anybody."—Short Stories.

Didn't Know the Purpose.

Mark Twain, as an example of unconscious humor, used to quote a Hartford woman who said one day in the late spring:

"My husband is the dearest fellow. 'Jim,' I said to him this morning, 'are you very hard up just now?'"

"I certainly am hard up," he replied soberly. "This high cost of living is terrible. I don't know what I'm going to do."

"Then, Jim," said I, "I'll give up all thought of going to the country for July and August this year."

"But the dear fellow's face changed, and he said:

"Indeed, then, you won't, darling. I thought you wanted to buy a hat with an aigrette or some such foolishness. No, no, my darling—Jim can always find the money to let his dear little wife go to the country."

A DETERMINED WOMAN

Finally Found a Food That Cured Her.

"When I first read of the remarkable effects of Grape-Nuts food, I determined to secure some," says a woman in Salisbury, Mo. "At that time there was none kept in this town, but my husband ordered some from a Chicago traveler."

"I had been greatly afflicted with sudden attacks of cramps, nausea, and vomiting. Tried all sorts of remedies and physicians, but obtained only temporary relief. As soon as I began to use the new food the cramps disappeared and have never returned."

"My old attacks of sick stomach were a little slower to yield, but by continuing the food, that trouble has disappeared entirely. I am today perfectly well, can eat anything and everything I wish, without paying the penalty that I used to. We would not keep house without Grape-Nuts."

"My husband was so delighted with the benefits I received that he has been recommending Grape-Nuts to his customers and has built up a very large trade on the food. He sells them by the case to many of the leading physicians of the county, who recommend Grape-Nuts very generally. There is some satisfaction in using a really scientifically prepared food."

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in plucks. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

A LITTLE AFRAID OF IT.



Tickson Klicks—Give you a tip, the matrimonial bonds are pretty good! Oldebatch—Not for me, Klicks. I'm not doing anything in speculation.

A Protection Against the Heat.

When you begin to think it's a personal matter between you and the sun to see which is the hotter, buy yourself a glass or a bottle of Coca-Cola. It is cooling—relieves fatigue and quenches the thirst. Wholesome as the purest water and lots nicer to drink. At soda fountains and carbonated in bottles—5c everywhere.

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Wrong Diagnosis.

A drummer was taken ill suddenly. He went to see a physician of considerable standing, and the following conversation ensued: "I feel very sick," declared the drummer. "What's the trouble?" asked the physician. "Severe pain in my side." "Humph," said the doctor slowly. "I think you have appendicitis." "You have made a mistake, doctor," replied the salesman. "I'm not a millionaire, just a plain drummer." "Well, I guess you just have the cramps, then," replied the indignant personage. "Five dollars, please."

Thomas Hood's Oversight.

Thomas Hood gave to literature the undying "Song of the Shirt," but he might have written an even sadder song, that of the washtub. Easy Task laundry soap was unknown in his day. It is only for the last quarter century that it has been relieving women of backaches and bruised hands. It takes the dirt out of or off of anything—actually does most of the work itself. Your grocer has it.

According to Her Count.

"Yes," said the young wife; "Philip and I have lived together a whole year, and we've never had the slightest quarrel."

"What are you talking about! You and Philip were married seven years ago!"

"To be sure we were, but you forget that he's a traveling salesman."

There is a conscience of the head as well as of the heart, and in old age we feel as much remorse if we have wasted our natural virtues.—Lord Lytton.

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